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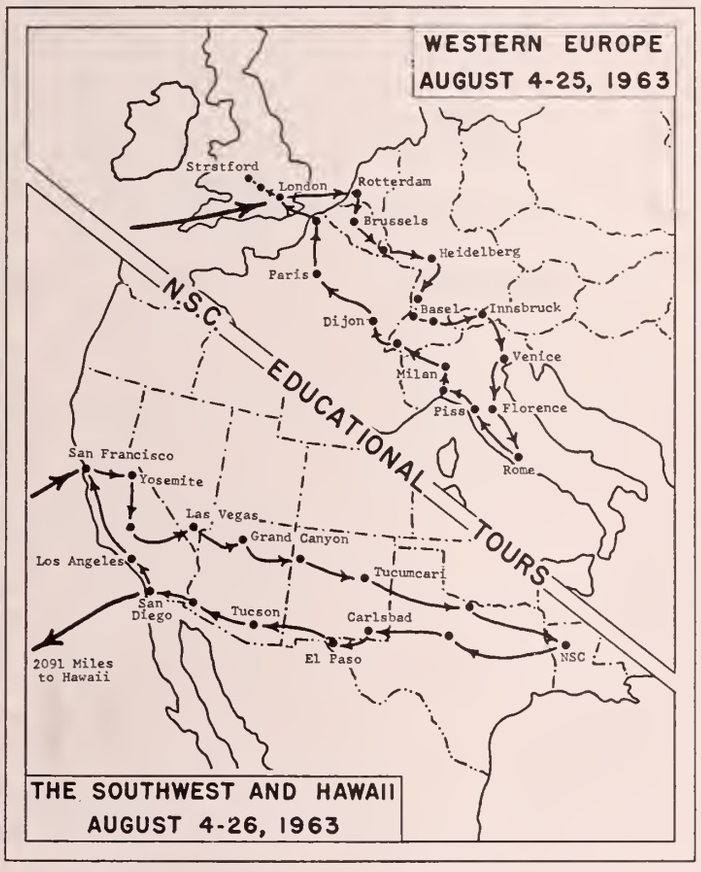
Summer Tour Announcement Is Well Received



Social Science Department Offers Most Impressive Tour Program

The Department of Social Sciences at Northwestern State College has received a gratifying number of inquiries following announcement of the department's most ambitious schedule of summer tours.

In addition to inquiries from citizens of Louisiana, numerous requests for information from out-of-state have been received concerning the European Tour, which includes visits to some of Europe's greatest capital cities; and the annual tour of the United States, which will feature the Southwest with an optional side tour of Hawaii.

European Tour

Northwestern is the first of Louisiana's state colleges to offer an overseas tour, and this tour marks the first in a series of annual events.

With guaranteed departure, the tour group will leave from New York on Aug. 4 and return on Aug. 25 after having traveled through eight countries with visits to major geographic and historic localities. Charge for the tour is $895 from New York, and the fee will cover all New York to New York transportation, hotel fees, meals, programmed sightseeing tours, insurance, tips, and registration fee.

Fifteen to 30 people are expected for the tour, which will cover from 4500 to 5000 miles on the continent. Dr. Yvonne Phillips, head of the Department of Social Sciences, will direct the tour.

Southwest United States—Hawaii

The thirteenth annual tour of the United States, Aug. 4-Aug. 26, will tour the Southwest and will feature an optional side-trip to the Hawaiian Islands.

Scheduled to leave from Natchitoches on Aug. 4, the tour will travel through Texas, New Mexico, Arizona, and California. At Los Angeles, the tourists who have registered for the Hawaiian tour (Plan B) will depart for Hawaii and rejoin the Plan-A group at San Francisco following a 2091-mile trip to the Islands.

On the return leg of the trip, the tour will travel through the northern sections of the states previously mentioned, with arrival back in Natchitoches scheduled for Aug. 26.

Plan A, the mainland tour, price is $295, and the charge for Plan B, which covers the mainland tour plus the trip to Hawaii, is $625. Fees cover transportation, hotels, baggage tips, registration fee, travel insurance, transfers, and tours and admissions which are a part of the tour. LeRoi Eversull and Rade Radasinovich will conduct Plans A and B, respectively.

Persons desiring college credit for the tours should contact Dr. Yvonne Phillips, head of the Department of Social Sciences, concerning eligibility. Those wishing further information should write: Summer Tours, Department of Social Sciences, Northwestern State College, Natchitoches, La.

HN E. ROLEN, BA '51, principal of steet Juniar High Schaal, was recipient the "Distinguished Service Award" sented by the Lake Charles Juniar amber af Commerce at an appreciain banquet. He was cited far his wark civic affairs, educatianal arganizans, with yauth graups af the city, and tributions made ta the cammunity as whole.

Brown Announces '63 Diamond Slate

Twenty-four varsity games and 12 "B" team contests make up the tentative baseball schedule for the 1963 season, according to Coach Alvin (Cracker) Brown.

All varsity games, with the exception of two games with Centenary, are against Gulf States Conference foes.

The "B" team will meet East Texas Baptist College and Panola junior college.

A pair of games against a non-conference foe may be added to the varsity schedule, and additional games with area high school nines may be added to the "B" team schedule.

The schedule, all doubleheaders:

HOME GAMES

March 16	Panola (B)
March 19	Centenary
March 28	ETBC (B)
April 1	McNeese
April 6	Panola (B)
April 8	Northeast
April 20	U. Southwestern La.
April 27	Louisiana Tech
May 4	Southeastern

ROAD GAMES

March 12	ETBC (B)
March 23	Panola (B)
April 6	Louisiana Tech
April 10	Southeastern
April 16	Centenary
April 22	McNeese
April 29	Northeast
April 30	Panola (B)
May 6	U. Southwestern La.

BERNARD SHADOIN (right), BS '49, teacher at Mansfield Elementary School, was presented the "Distinguished Service Award" by Fielder Calhaun of Shrevepart, National Jaycee Director. He was named the city's "Outstanding Young Man" of the year at an appreciation banquet spansared by the Mansfield Junior Chamber of Commerce, and was cited for his contribution to the community as a whole, and especially for his work with young people.

KELLEY, JOHN, AND KATHY are very proud of their new brother, Edwin Paul, who was born in Rolla, Missouri, January 16, where their father, Capt. Lamy J. Chopin (B. S. '58), is attending Missouri School of Mines. Edwin Paul weighed in at 8 lbs. and 2 ozs. Mrs. Chopin (nee Nadine Wilson) received her B. A. in 1957.

CUPID'S DOINGS

The Immaculate Conception Church of St. Joseph was the scene of the fall wedding of Miss MAUDINE LAVERNE THOMPSON, BS '60, and LYNN DALE POCHE, BS '61. They reside in Shreveport.

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The wedding of Miss SANDRA GREENE, BS '62, and CARROLL WOOLEY, BS '62, was solemnized on December 22 in Iowa. They live in Causey, New Mexico, where both are employed in the school system.

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Miss LINDA GAIL FEDD, BS '61, and Dan Milton Sexton were married in the home of the bride on December 22.

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Married on December 22, in the Morningside Baptist Church of Shreveport were Miss JANICE LEIGH NEELY, BA '62, and William Oland Houghes, Jr. They live in Shreveport.

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The wedding of Miss PATRICIA ANN GREER, BA '62, and Laudis George Hawkins was solemnized on December 22 in the Shreve City Baptist Church.

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The Reily Memorial University Methodist Church in Baton Rouge was the scene of the wedding on December 23 of Miss DIXIE ANN BARKER, BA '61, and George Elliott Scott.

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December 23 was the wedding day of Miss GLORIA ANN CRANE, BS '62, and Charles David Jenkins. They were married in the New First Baptist Church in Newellton.

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Married on December 28 in the New Base Chapel of Barksdale Air Force Base in Bossier were Miss Gayle Lorene Fulcher and DON WILLIAM TRULY, BS '61. They are residing in New Orleans.

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Miss NANCY LOU BEST, BS '62 in Nursing, and Walter Clement Venters were married on December 29 in the Christ the King Catholic Church in Bossier City. The couple live in Little Rock, where Mr. Venters is at the University of Arkansas Medical Center working toward his doctorate in psychology.

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Recently, Miss VIRGINIA NELL FORD, BS '59, became the bride of Curtis Beard in the Twelfth Street Baptist Church in Lake Charles, where the couple now resides.

Organ Major Offered By Music Department

The Northwestern State College Department of Music is now offering a bachelor of music degree in organ in the School of Arts and Sciences.

Organ has been taught at NSC for many years but only as a minor subject. This past fall, Barney Tiller, a young organist from Texas, was added to the faculty roster to teach organ and piano.

Tiller studied at the North Texas State University School of Music, where he earned the bachelor of music degree in organ and has done graduate work in music theory. While at NTSU, Tiller served as a tutor in piano and was organist for one of the leading churches in Sherman, Texas. He has had wide experience as a performer and teacher.

Interest and enrollment in organ playing have increased considerably at NSC since Tiller's arrival, according to Dr. Joseph B. Carlucci, head of the department.

Look Who's Here

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Clark (nee Juanita George, BS '51) announce the arrival of George Alan, Feb. 7, weighing 9 lbs., 11 ozs.

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Mr. and Mrs. Maxie Wayne Kitchings (nee Villea Rea Carlisle, BS '59) of Coushatta are the parents of Connie Kay, born on Dec. 28, weighing 8 lbs., 4 ozs. Maxie, BS '60, is teaching math at Coushatta High School.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ray Caskey (nee Lois Ann Dickson, BS '62) announce the arrival of Cynthia Marie, Jan. 4, weighing 7 lbs., 4 ozs.

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Lt. and Mrs. Dewain (nee Judy Isbell) are the parents of a daughter, Pamela Lynn Hodge, born on Oct. 18, weighing 8 lbs., 4 ozs. They are living in Columbia, S. C.

HELP WANTED

The Alumni Office is attempting to locate as many members of the 1913 graduating class as possible.

Each month a list of names for which we need information will be published. If you have any information concerning the graduates, please drop us a card listing their present addresses.

As the members of the graduating class of 1913 will be honored at the next homecoming, your assistance will be appreciated.

The list is as follows: Fannie Tarver, Natchitoches; Mittie Mae Thompson (Mrs. I. B. Webb), Zwolle; Corinne Aswell (Mrs. James E. Contrill), Natchitoches; Belle Granary (Mrs. Clarence Oakley), Baton Rouge; Lucye Guilbeau, St. Martinville; Mable Handy, Monroe; Margie Hays, Cheneyville; Jessie Kirby, Washington; Zelia Lawrason, Shreveport; Lucy Ledoux, St. Martinville.

MISS EARLIND DE MOSS, BA '38, a teocher in the Ploin Dealing Elementory School, has been selected for the 1963-64 volume of "Who's Who in American Educotion." This is the second time thot Miss De Mass has been chosen for this honor of notional distinction.

STUDENT WORKERS in the Alumni & Plocement office not only do port time work but also assist in moiling the Alumni Columns eoch month, ond in moiling oll moss mailings sent out by other departments of the college. Last year over 100,000 pieces were oddressed on our mochine. From left to right are Jack Eversul of Bossier City, Carolyn Wood of Coushatto, Morilyn Scroggs of Shreveport, Mory Ellen Froncis of Monroe, Mory Alice Toylor of Winnfield, Mrs. Fletcher of Notchitoches (office secretory), and Sheilo Culp of Monroe.

Northwestern Plans Annual Grid Banquet

Members of the Gulf States Conference champion 1962 Northwestern State College football squad will be honored Thursday, March 7, at St. Denis Hall on the campus.

Letter awards will be made to members of the squad, and special awards based on balloting by team members will be announced. Included in these awards will be honors for outstanding offensive backs and linemen, defensive backs and linemen, and most valuable player.

Also to be awarded are honors to the player selected for the Coaches' Award, two scholastic awards, permanent captain awards, and the Jordan and Booth trophy for outstanding play in the State Fair game with Louisiana Tech.

The 1962 team won seven games, lost two, and tied one for a successful season.

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This office would like to have the information. Drop a cord or letter to:

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Northwestern State College
Natchitoches, Louisiana

LETTERS

2610 Coplin Road
Westlake, Louisiana
December 18, 1962

Dear Sir:

Until further notice, please forward my copies of the Alumni Columns to my mother's address.

My husband, who is a captain in the Air Force and a navigator by trade, will be attending schools of training until next September when we will be permanently stationed at Ellsworth A. F. B. in South Dakota. During that period, we will be traveling a great deal: first, to Montgomery, Alabama; South Dakota; Castle A.F.B., California; Roswell, New Mexico; and finally to Ellsworth A.F.B.

We and our two children—Keith, who is three years old and Lise, who is nine months—are looking forward to the many sights we will have an opportunity to see in the line of duty.

Thanks for the fine job all of you are doing in keeping us "old grads" posted on our wonderful Northwestern.

Sincerely,

Mrs. James R. Hardwick
(Dot Chandler, BA '58)

STUDENT WORKERS in the Alumni & Plocement office, Shelio Culp (left) ond Mory Alice Toylor, file addresses according to geagraphical locotian. Lost year the office ossisted in mailing over 100,000 pieces af mail for the College, including Alumni Columns.

IN MEMORIAM

Dr. Moise Levy, a physician in Houston, Texas, passed away last month. He was a native of Natchitoches and a Normal graduate of 1907.

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Dr. Theodore W. Gayer, of Pineville, a retired Louisiana Baptist Convention official, died recently. At the time of his death, he was serving as public relations representative of the Baptist Hospital in Alexandria. He finished Normal in the class of 1902.

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Leland J. Dossman, MS '60, was accidentally drowned while scuba diving off the coast at Ponce de Leon Springs, Florida. He was a native of Tioga, but had moved to Florida with his family and was program engineer for the Martin Company.

Sympathy is extended to the families of these alumni.

NOTICE

Please notify the Alumni Office of charge of address when you move. If you know of alumni who are not receiving the Columns, notify the Alumni Office so that their names may be added to the mailing list.

ALUMNI HERE 'N THERE

NANCY LEIBY, BS '61, is now employed as a dietitian with the Stauffer Corporation in Cleveland, Ohio. Her residence address is 1241 Granger Ave.

WILLIAM W. NORRIS, a '21 graduate of NSC, is operating his farm, which is located near Choudrant.

Dr. JOHN M. NORRIS, Jr., BA '39, has recently been appointed head of the department of languages at McNeese State College, Lake Charles.

ALAN L. LANGRIDGE, BS '55, has been promoted to field supervisor in the field lease department at the home office of the Aetna Life Affiliated Companies in Hartford, Conn. He lives at 225 Lyme St., Hartford.

A check from RONALD HARLAN, BS '58, for life membership in the NSC Alumni Association was received recently. Ronald has completed the requirements for a Ph. D. in nuclear chemistry at Florida State University, and formal conferral will be in April. He is now serving as assistant professor of chemistry at the University of Arkansas. His wife, the former Sandra Smith, was a student at NSC. They have two sons —Allen Brett, 4, and Jay Williams, 1.

Captain CURTIS F. HOGLAN, BME '55, is battery commander of a Nike-Hercules Battery located in Jeffersonville, Ga. The Hoglans have two children, Sonja, 5, and Steve, 2. Mrs. Hoglan is the former KATHERINE ELLIOTT, BS '54.

Mrs. MARGARET BRYAN (Margaret Smith), 2-year '32 and AB '33, left Aug. 28 to spend a year in Cali, Colombia, as a teacher in that Latin-American country. Mrs. Bryan has taught in Shreveport grammar schools, and once was head of the English department at Byrd High School.

W. L. DOXEY, BS '34, came by the Alumni Office for a visit recently, and while here purchased a life membership in the NSC Alumni Association. Bill is Director, Electronic Components Dept., U.S. Army Signal Research and Development Laboratory, Ft. Monmouth, N. J. He has approximately five hundred people working under his supervision. Mr. and Mrs. Doxey have two fine children, Connie Lynn, 18, a senior in high school, and John T., 14.

SHELLEY P. RICHARDSON, BS '60, received a Master of Religious Education degree at Southwestern Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, Texas, Jan. 17, 1963.

BILLY E. McCORMACK, BA '52 and MA '59, pastor of Westside Baptist Church, Shreveport, has been named president of the Shreveport-Bossier Ministerial Association.

Mrs. ROSE CAMPBELL MORRIS, BS '57, writes that her family are moving from New Orleans to 10716 Benbrook Dr., Dallas 28, Texas, and would like to receive the Alumni Columns at that address.

Mrs. AUDREY LEE ANDERSON, formerly Audrey Lee Jackson, now living in Beaumont, Texas, was a student at NSC during '35, '36, and '37. In a recent letter she asked to be placed on the alumni mailing list.

Miss SUSANELLA SCHOENBRODT, a 2-yr. graduate of 1920, is teaching in Richardson Elementary School, Minden.

Mrs. MARY BALLEW BAILEY, BS '54, asked that we change her mailing address from Houston to 1312 Glenmore Ave., Baton Rouge. Her husband, who is technical representative for Fisher Scientific Company, has been transferred to this area. The Baileys have four children: Truman, 8; Susie, 6; Debra, 5, and Jan, 3.

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CHILDREN of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Wimberly of Springhill are (left to right) Sandra, 13, Duvall C., 11, and Virginia Bess, 7. Wimberly, BS '40, is principal of Springhill Junior High School. Mrs. Wimberly is the former Inez Gamble, BA '41.

Track Team Opens Season In Ft. Worth

Coach Walter Ledet's track team opened its 1963 season in the Ft. Worth Relays Friday and Saturday, March 1-2.

Only 10 team members were selected to compete in the Texas track and field meet. With spring football drills continuing through March 6, many trackmen were still out on the gridiron.

Prospects for an improved team over last season's group are good, according to Coach Ledet, with potential strength expected in distance events and the field.

Highpoint of the track season will be the 25th annual NSC Relays, which will introduce for the first time a university division.

Marking one-quarter of a century of the Relays track and field carnival, the program should attract the largest number of entries in its history. Several outstanding university teams have already indicated willingness to compete, and this year's Relays should be one of the outstanding track events in the South during the 1963 season.

THE 1963 SCHEDULE

March 1-2	Ft. Worth Relays
March 16	Shreveport Relays
March 23	New Orleans Relays
March 30	Florida Relays
April 6	Triangular Meet (GSC) at USL
April 10	Northeast at Natchitoches
April 13	Southwestern Relays, USL
April 20	NSC Relays
April 27	Northeast Invitational at Monroe
May 4	Triangular Meet, Louisiana Tech, Northeast, NSC at Monroe
May 11	Gulf States Conference Meet at Ruston

Miss Nelia Frances Shaw, a nursing student, and ROBERT HERBERT DAY, BA '62, were married on December 28 in the First Methodist Church of Springhill. He is currently serving a 6-month tour of duty with the Louisiana National Reserves at Fort Jackson, South Carolina.

ROBERT WAYNE is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Wayne Rigdon. Mrs. Rigdon (nee Sylvia Davis) received her B. S. in 1954. Mr. Rigdon, B. S. 1957, is studying chemistry at the University of Virginia, working toward his Ph.D.

Spring Drills Climaxed With Intrasquad Game

Spring football drills will end Wednesday, March 6, with an intrasquad game in Demon stadium.

This is the second intrasquad game to be played by the Demon gridders. A game between the White and Purple units was staged at Minden under the sponsorship of the Junior Chamber of Commerce Thursday, Feb. 28.

Coach Jack Clayton and his assistants attempted during the spring football sessions to develop replacements for 10 seniors and several other members of last year's team who were lost from the squad.

In addition to potential replacements from the freshman ranks and squad members of the past season, several transfer gridders may merit consideration for positions on the 1963 team.

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